

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Phase of:

Applicant: Anthony Bailey et al.  
PCT Application No.: PCT/GB2003/003997  
PCT Filing Date: September 16, 2003  
Title: USER-INTERFACE AND METHOD FOR CURVED MULTI-  
PLANAR REFORMATTING OF THREE-DIMENSIONAL  
VOLUME DATA SETS  
Attorney Docket No. DYOUP0275US

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT DELETING MULTIPLE DEPENDENCIES**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the application in accordance with the following appended parts:

Amendments to the Specification  
Amendments to the Claims

All of the claims have been amended to delete multiple dependencies. In the event there still remains a claim that depends from more than one claim, the Office is hereby authorized to amend such claim to depend from the first mentioned of the multiple claims from which it depends.

Respectfully submitted,



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